GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2188
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AYURVEDIC CMO
SUSHILA SAROJ

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether an Ayurvedic CMO is not authorized to refer the patients directly to the referral Hospitals/Government Hospitals for the diagnosis of their diseases;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government proposes to authorize Ayurvedic CMO to refer the patients directly to the referral Hospitals/Government Hospitals;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) to (e): The CMO of the CGHS Ayurvedic dispensary/Unit can directly refer the patients to the Govt. Ayurvedic Hospitals.

As far as the authorisation to refer to private hospitals is concerned, matter is under examination.